



Alzheimer's Prayer



Great Creator,
We pray.

For those who have died of Alzheimer's disease
— Peace —

For those who now struggle with Alzheimer's disease
— Dignity and Comfort —

For Families, Caregivers, Friends, and Supporters
— Compassion and Courage —

And for those who seek the cause, cure, prevention,
and treatment of Alzheimer's disease
— Our Sincerest Thanks —

Please accept our earnest and humble prayer.

Amen

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Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi



Lord,

Make me an instrument of your peace.

Where there is hatred, let me sow love;

where there is injury, pardon;

where there is doubt, faith;

where there is despair, hope;

where there is darkness, light; and

where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master,

Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled
as to console;

to be understood as to understand;

to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive;

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned;

And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.

Amen



A Caregivers Prayer

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Lord, Show me the strength within me because I
am very tired,

Show me patience to care for the one I love,

Show me peace of mind as I struggle through each
day and night,

Show me the joy in the little things my loved one
does to help me out,

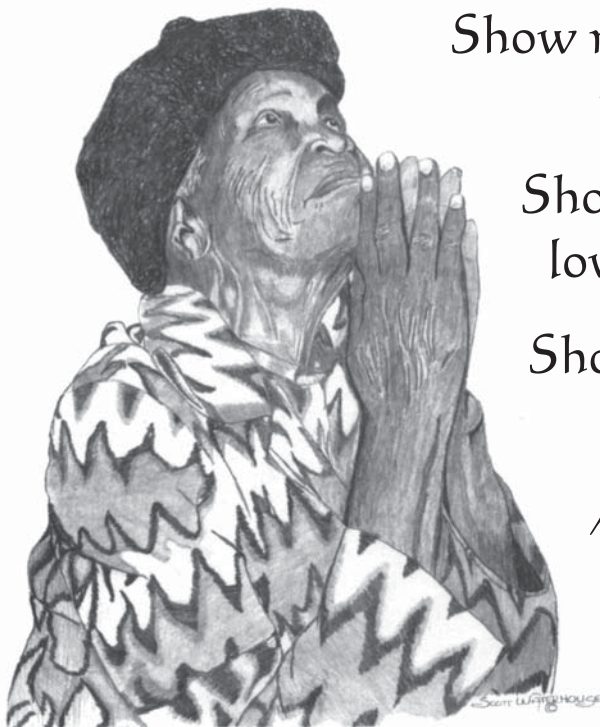
Show me love when anger wants to
take over my thoughts,

Show me compassion when my
loved one becomes frustrated,

Show me hope when I can see no
hope,

And Lord, show me kindness
for those who care about me.

Amen



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A Prayer from a Caregiver



Dear Father in Heaven,
Please help me today
To find courage and strength
And to watch what I say.

Make me gentle and kind
And have a big heart
Give me endurance, fortitude,
Be merciful and smart.

I'm asking for some
Who can't fold hands in prayer;
But they are your children
And know that you're there.

Let the ones I care for
Know of my love.
Help them today
From Heaven above.

Asking all this In God's name.

Amen.

Adapted from A Caregiver's Prayer by Shirley Procell